

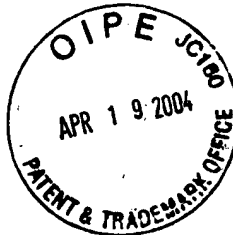


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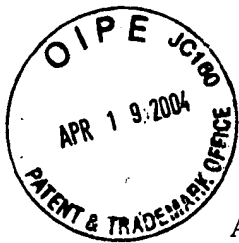
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In response to the "Notice to Comply with Requirement for Patent Application Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures" dated March 9, 2004, a copy of which is attached, enclosed is a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", substitute paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" and tated verifying sequence submission.

Please amend the specification by replacing the "Sequence Listing" with the attached substitute "Sequence Listing", which includes no new matter.

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